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SRBA Water Right Filing Fees to Increase

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Beginning July 1, 2006, the fees to file a water right claim in the Snake River Basin Adjudication will increase across the board. The Legislature approved the increase during the 2006 session. It is the first time that filing fees have been increased since the SRBA process began nearly 20 years ago.

The increased fees will apply to those filing water right claims in the North Idaho Adjudication process set to begin next year.

Examples of the increased fees are as follows:

- Single family domestic and stockwater use, less than 13,000 gallons per day in total based on a permit, license, decree or statutory claim.....**\$50**
- All other previously unrecorded single family domestic, and stockwater use, less than 13,000 gallons per day in total.....**\$100**
- 100 acres irrigation, domestic and stockwater.....**\$300**
- Fish propagation, 14.2 cfs.....**\$384**
- Multiple family domestic, 1.6 cfs, irrigation of yards and gardens, 14 acres.....**\$448**

On July 1, 2006 the new fee structure for filing water right claims will be posted in its entirety on the IDWR website: www.idwr.idaho.gov/water/srba/forms.htm

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